

Section 1, chapter 6, private laws of 1870-'71, amended.

Weighing, measuring and gauging articles sold in Wilmington.

one thousand eight hundred and seventy and one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one be amended by striking out all after the words, "*Provided however,*" and and inserting the following, "That no inspector licensed to inspect, weigh, gauge or measure any such articles as are sold in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, by inspection, weight, gauge or measure, and which he is authorized by said license to inspect, weigh, gauge or measure, shall take a license from or obligate himself to be governed in the discharge of his official duties by any person, party corporation, or combination of persons whatever, nor shall he engage for a salary as clerk, or otherwise to perform the duties of inspector, weigher, gauger and measurer for any person, party, or corporation, or be in any way connected with the interest of any merchant, distiller, purchaser, interested in the purchase or sale of any article so to be inspected, weighed, gauged or measured by him under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each and every such act done by him in violation of the provisions of this chapter, and no persons shall engage in the business of inspection, weighing, gauging or measuring any turpentine, tar, rosin, cotton, hay, or spirits of turpentine, without having first procured a license as aforesaid under a like penalty.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Ratified the 12th day of March, A. D. 1877.

CHAPTER LXXXVI.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACT INCORPORATING THE TOWN OF MORGANTON, AND ACTS AMENDATORY OF SAID ACT.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact,* That the mayor of the town of Morganton, and his

The mayor an inferior court.